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To the FDA:

RE: DOCKET NO. 98N-1265

I send this letter as a consumer of healthcare services to register my concern and disapproval of the Memorandum of Understanding as published by the FDA on January 21, 1999.

In its present form, the MOU, as well as the Compounding Section 503A of the Modernization Act, severely restricts the rights of the physicians and patients to obtain healthcare products from the provider of their choice. It also infringes on the rights of compounding pharmacists to serve the public's medical needs. As a healthcare consumer, there should be no restrictions to the delivery of a compounded medication prescribed for me, regardless of where I may live or may travel. The MOU must be amended!

Signed:

*Mary Williams* 7/21/99

State of Residence:

*New York*

Comments:

*I have been a healthcare provider for over 35 yrs during those years I have witness remarkable improvements in many patients who have been prescribed medications through a*

*Compounding pharmacy. Please note, the meds supplied were not available through regular pharmacies.*

*I cannot imagine that this bill would not be amended.*

*It concerns me that right to have such choices could be taken away.*

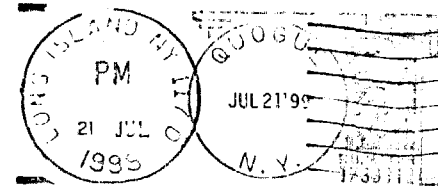
*Thank you for your interest in my concern.*

*Mary Williams, MD*

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